## ANDHRA PRADESH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY SESSION:3

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Notice Given by

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Will the Minister for Social Welfare be pleased to state:

## **QUESTION**

- a) Whether it is a fact that Budaga Jangala community people of Telangana region recognized as SCs in the composite State of Andhra Pradesh;
- b) Whether there is any proposal with the Government to recognize them as SCs in our State after bifurcation of State;
- c) If so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard;
- d) The population of Budaga Jangala Community people in our State; and
- e) Whether the Government has issued any Caste certificates to them till now?

## SOCIAL WELFARE (CV.1) DEPARTMENT <u>ANSWER</u>

a) Yes, Sir.

The Beda (Budaga) Jangam community is notified at SI.No.4 in the Scheduled Castes (Order),1950 at Part X pertaining to the State of Hyderabad. However, the Beda (Budaga) Jangam community is not notified in the list of SC communities at Part V pertaining to the State of Madras in the Scheduled Castes (Order),1950.

In view of the formation of the composite State of Andhra Pradesh, the Government of India has issued the Scheduled Castes Amendment (Order), 1956, dt.25.09.1956 and the Beda (Budaga) Jangam community finds place at SI.No.4 at Part-I pertaining to the Andhra Pradesh and is restricted to the districts of Hyderabad, Mahabubnagar, Adilabad, Nizamabad, Medak, Karimnagar, Warangal, Khammam and Nalgonda.

Subsequently, the Government of India has issued the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Amendment ) Act,1976 (Act No. 108 of 1976) wherein the Beda Jangam, Budaga Jangam community appears at SI.No. 9 at Part-I of the First Schedule and no area restrictions are imposed.

Subsequently, in the year 2002, the Government of India has enacted the Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders Second Amendment Act, 2002 (Act No. 61 of 2002) dated: 08.12.2002 whereby the area restrictions were imposed on the Beda (Budaga) Jangam community duly restricting the community to the districts of Hyderabad, Ranga Reddy, Mahabubnagar, Adilabad, Nizamabad, Medak, Karimnagar, Warangal, Khammam and Nalgonda.

Further, in the Fifth Schedule of the A.P Reorganisation Act, 2014, the Beda (Budaga) Jangam community finds place in the State of Telangana at PART XXV of the Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order, 1950 and the said community is omitted from the list of communities notified as Scheduled Castes for the State of Andhra Pradesh.

- b & C) It is proposed to constitute the One Man Commission afresh to look, interalia into the issue of the existence of Beda (Budaga) Jangam in the Rayalaseema and Andhra Regions of the State of Andhra Pradesh,
- d) The population as per 2001 census is 16,113.
- e) No Sir.

(The above answer has been approved by the Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare & Empowerment and Tribal Welfare & Empowerment)

for Secretary to Government

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